

ATTN: Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of: McCall, Catherine A. Tang, Liang

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For: "CANINE IL-13 RECEPTOR NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES, PROTEINS, **COMPOSITIONS THEREOF AND** METHODS OF USE"

Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Group Art Unit: 1647

Examiner: Spector, Lorraine

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL, ADDRESSED TO MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O. BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, THIS 21 DAY OF JULY 2003.

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This response is directed to the Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 21, 2003. Prior to the Examiner's review of the Claims of the above-referenced Application, please enter the following amendments.